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## AMENDMENT SUBMITTED WITH REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on May 17, 2005 having a three-month statutory period for response set to expire on August 17, 2006, Applicants respectfully request entry of this preliminary amendment in combination with a Request for Continued Examination filed prior to examination on the merits.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.

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